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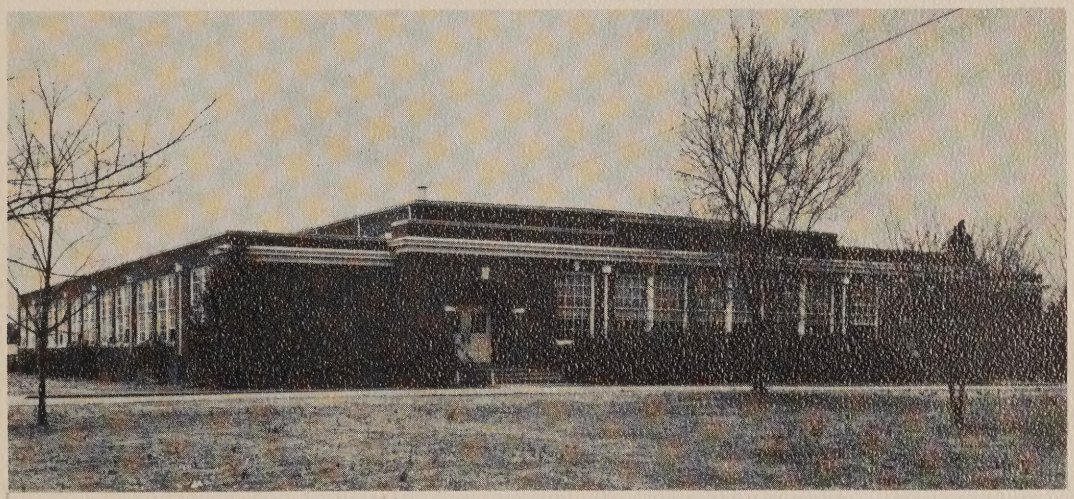

After a lapse of many years, we present The Varinian for your pleasure and consideration. May it bring back fond memories of happy days and old friends. As the years flit away, may it ever be a source of enjoyment and pleasure.

The Staff and Senior Class
of Varina High School
Richmond, Virginia

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Dedication

To show our deep appreciation for the effort she has put forth for our benefit through the years, we, the Senior Class, dedicate the 1950 VARINIAN to Mrs. Anne Eppes Regester.

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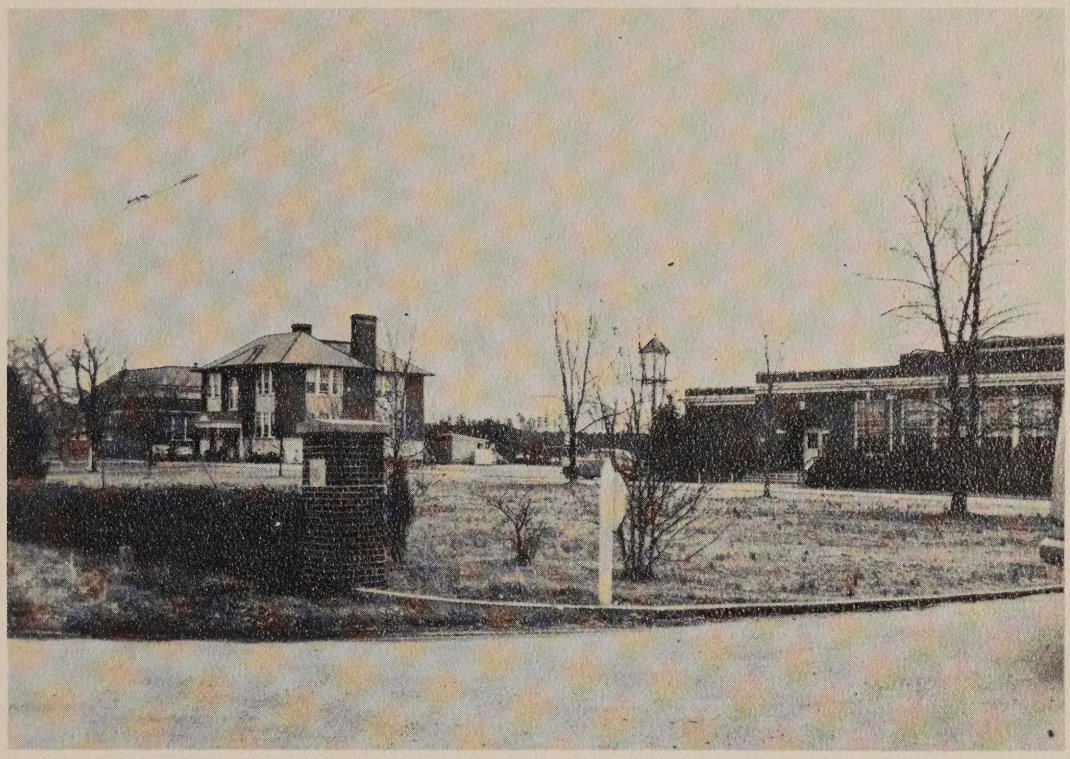
Varina High School History



Varina High School was the second consolidated school to be opened in Virginia, the first being in Lunenburg County. It was formed by the consolidation of four one-room schools, namely, Osborne, Fort Harrison, Laurel Hill and Town Hall. Later Tree Hill and Glendale joined this group.

In 1919 the school became Varina Agricultural High School through the Smith-Hughes Fund. Agriculture was taught until 1941.

The school began with an enrollment of 45 and 4 teachers and today there are 30 teachers with an enrollment of 775.

Today Varina High School, with its Shop, its modern Home Economics Cottage, its beautiful buildings and grounds, is an asset to the community. The students are very proud of it.

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M.A., Columbia University
Principal

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A.B., College of William & Mary
English

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Social Studies

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Mathematics

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B.S., Mary Washington College
Commercial

JUANITA HELFERT
Secretary

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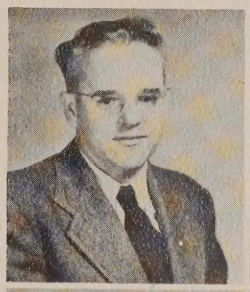
Assistant Principal
Chemistry, Physics



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Industrial Arts

MRS. CORNELIA B. NEWTON
B.S., Wake Forest College
General Science, Biology

MRS. JOHN W. CHRISTIAN, JR.
A.B., Duke University
Music

KATHRYN CARTER
A.B., Westhampton College
Guidance, Latin

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English, French, History

ELAINE R. OWENS
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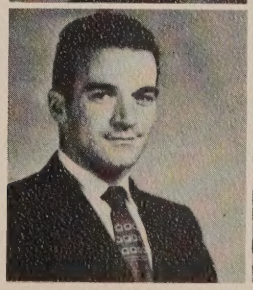
English, French



WILLIAM F. SCHEERER
University of Richmond
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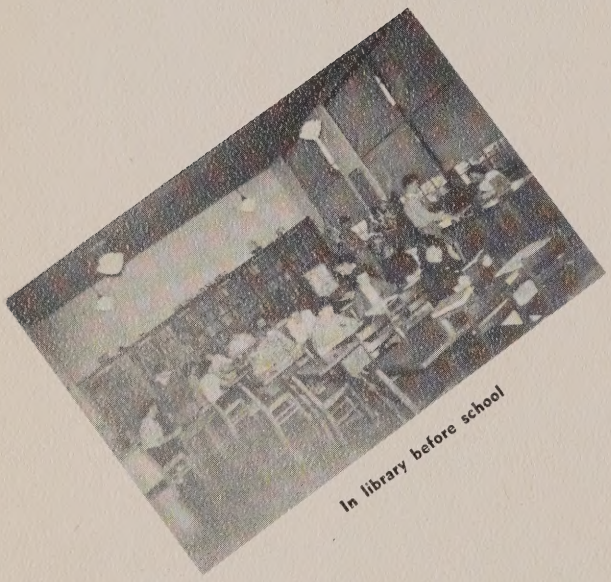
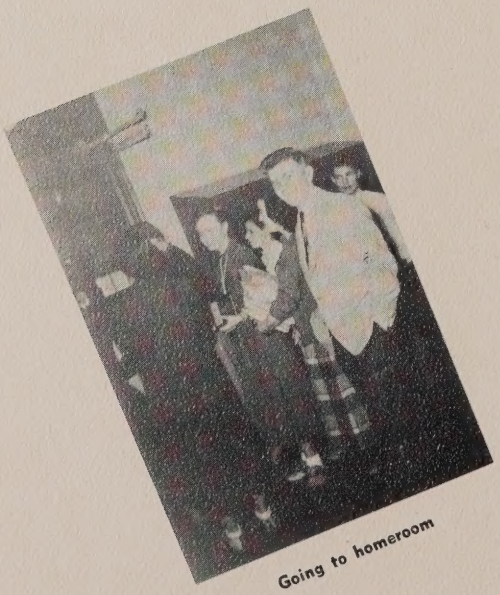
A Day

Arriving at school



In library before school

These pictures represent our physical and social activities at school. Between these are our classes in which we build for future citizenship. Since these classes are many and varied, we do not picture them.



Going to homeroom

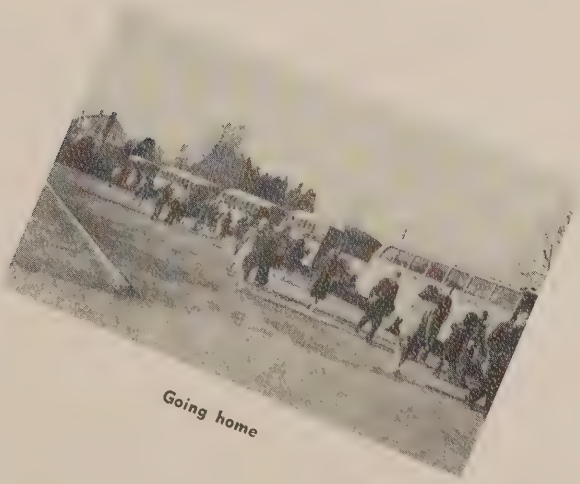
At School

Recess

At coke machine after school

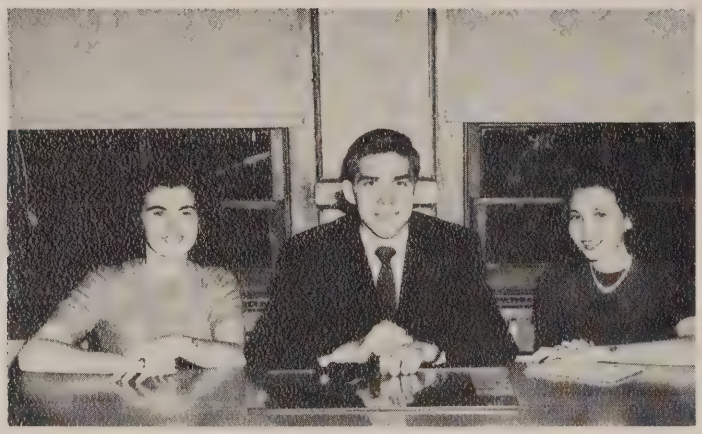
Each person chooses one of the following curricula: Commercial, College Preparatory, Shop, Home Economics or a general course.

Mr. Brown



Going home

Senior Class Officers



President ---------- Bill Wellons
Vice-President ---------- Lettie Umber
Secretary-Treasurer ---------- Ann Smellie

Senior Class History

Into the long dark halls we walked
Seventy-eight freshmen—afraid to talk.
Trying to guess what lay ahead—
Halfway wishing that we were dead.

Our homeroom teachers, bless their hearts,
Helped us off to the proper starts.
We soon lost our fear of the upper classmen,
Managed a smile, when e'er we passed 'em.

The dreaded day at last arrived;
It's really a wonder we all survived.
But initiation was truly fun;
We'll never forget the things that were done.

Mr. Anderson was with us for a while—
So understanding—with his nod and smile.
And if, in English, a high grade was won,
A ride in the Goldstein jeep was much fun.

We all had changed by the end of the term.
Confidence in ourselves was becoming more firm.
We had completed a precious year,
Our sophomore days were drawing near.

Full-fledged sophomores we now had become;
Plans for the prom were quickly begun.
Crepe paper, flowers, and streamers galore,
Welcomed the seniors who entered the door.

The Beta Club tapped the best of our class,
The honor was great—Betas at last!
A reward for work successfully done—
Character, leadership—all in one.

An honor was granted to us in June,
Helping the seniors, departing so soon.
At the senior banquet they were our guests,
We tried to fulfill all their requests.

We returned to school the next September,
Vowing to make it a year to remember,
Little we knew or even did guess,
What would be our heights of success.

The laboratory really smelled to the skies,
The things we concocted would take the prize.
We presented a play, "The Adorable Imp,"
And people laughed until they were limp.

We welcomed Dolly and Jeanne that year,
We really hoped they would like it here.
S. C. A. elections were a memorable event,
A fiery campaign made Stewart president.

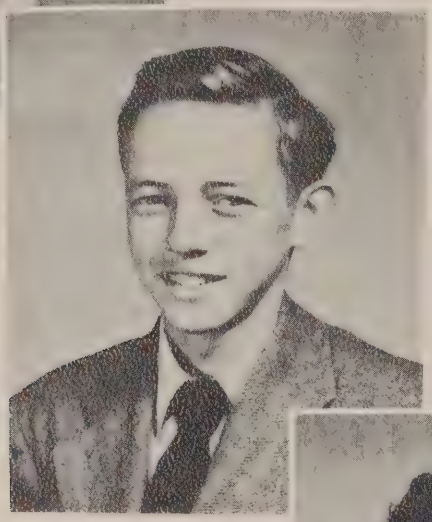
Last fall we came to school again,
We started our plans for this year, then.
We wanted a year book and a merit system,
And now we have them—we would have missed 'em.

The J-S Prom was really a highlight—
For all the seniors—a wonderful night.
In April we gave "Almost Eighteen," our play,
An outstanding year, we truly can say.

Yes, we are seniors—ready to graduate,
About to leave Varina—yet we hesitate.
We do not know what lies ahead,
The unknown is something we all dread.

Yet we go with courage and heads held high,
There's a place in this world for all to occupy.
Our hopes and dreams and plans prevail,
We shall succeed! We cannot fail!

MARCELLA ANN DURRETTE
Beta Club, 2-4; Vice-Pres. Beta Club, 3; State Secretary Beta Club, 3; Library Club, 1-4; Pres. Library Club, 3-4; Glee Club, 2-4; Monogram Club, 4; Newspaper Staff, 1-4; Sports Editor Newspaper Staff, 2; Assist. Bus. Mgr., 3; Student Council, 1; Sec. Student Council, 4; Assoc. Editor Annual Staff, 4; Junior Play, 3; Basketball, 1-4; Cheerleader, 2-4; Leader of Cheerleader, 4; Commercial Club, 4; Vice-Pres. Science Club, 4; 4-H Club, 1; Athletic Assoc., 1-2; Senior Play, 4.

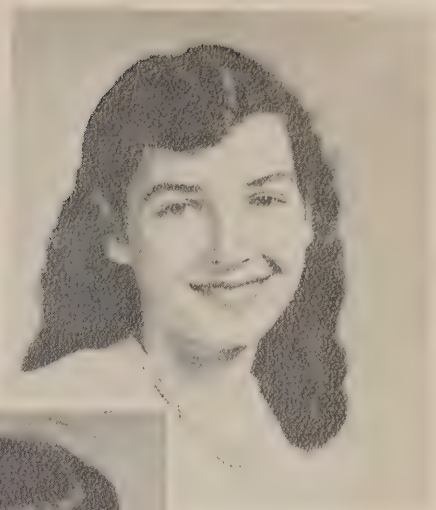


AMBLER COLEMAN RAGSDALE
True Relations Staff, 4; Treas. Student Council, 3-4; Safety Patrol, 3; Assist. Bus. Mgr. Annual Staff, 4; Jr. Play, 3; Bus Driver, 3-4; Senior Play, 4.

VIRGINIA LEE GROOME
Glee Club, 1, 4; F.H.A., 1-2; Jr. Play, 3; Softball, 2-4; Jr. Red Cross, 1-2; Senior Play, 4.

FRANCES ANN SMELLIE
Beta Club, 2-4; Monogram Club, 3-4; Vice-Pres. Monogram Club, 3; Newspaper Staff, 3-4; Co-Sports Editor Newspaper Staff, 4; Sports Editor Annual Staff, 4; F.H.A., 1-2; Basketball, 1-4; Co-Manager Softball, 3; Cheerleader, 2-4; Athletic Assoc., 2-3; Glee Club, 1; Sec. & Treas. of Class, 4; Bus. Mgr. Senior Play, 4; Safety Patrol Bus Monitor, 4.

SHIRLEY HIRAM HUGHES
Beta Club, 2; F.H.A., 1-2, 4; Treas. F.H.A., 1; Cheerleader, 2-3; Basketball, 3-4; Library Club Sec., 3; Annual Staff Typist, 4; Jr. Play, 3; Athletic Assoc., 1-2; Sec. Athletic Assoc., 2; Treas. Commercial Club, 4; Bus Monitor, 3; Glee Club, 1.



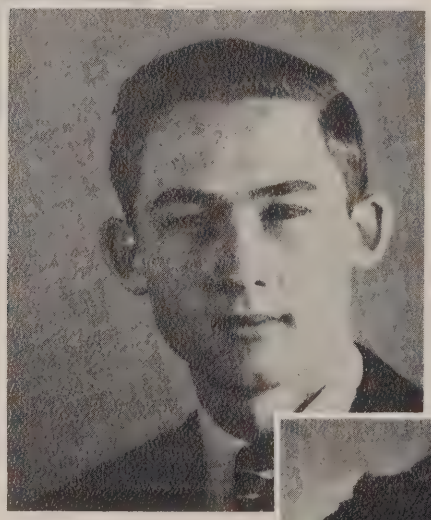
SHIRLEY GENEVEIVE HUCKSTEP
Senior Play, 4; Commercial Club, 3-4; F.H.A. 1, 3-4; Library Club, 1, 3-4; Glee Club, 3-4; Club Editor Annual Staff, 4; Jr. Play, 3; Newspaper Staff Literary Editor, 3-4; Student Council, 2; Beta Club 2, 4.

MARION EDITH MYERS
Typist Annual Staff, 4; Glee Club, 1, 3-4; True Relations Staff, 3-4; Co-Editor Newspaper Staff, 4; Cir. Manager Newspaper Staff, 3; Commercial Club, 3-4; Senior Play, 4.

JEANNE CATHERINE DAVIS
Monogram Club, 4; F.H.A., 3-4; Pres. F.H.A., 3; Softball, 3-4; Safety Patrol, 3-4; Commercial Club, 3-4; Newspaper Staff, 3-4; Children's Editor Newspaper Staff, 4.

JAMES CALVIN STEWART
Library Club, 2-4; Treas., 3-4; Monogram Club, 3-4; Pres. Monogram Club 3-4; Newspaper Staff, 3; Student Council, 2, 4; Pres. Student Council, 4; Safety Patrol, 3; Junior Play, 3; Football, 1-4; Basketball, 1, 3-4; Baseball, 1-4; Senior Play, 4.

MARIANNE BRANDAU
Teen Age Club, 4; Library Club, 2-4; Vice-Pres. Library Club, 3-4; Monogram Club, 4; Newspaper Staff, 1-4; Business Mgr. Newspaper Staff, 3; Safety Patrol, 3-4; Junior Play, 3; Cheerleader, 4; Basketball, 1-4; Glee Club, 1; Athletic Association, 2; Student Council, 1; Commercial Club, 4; 4-H Club, 1; Senior Play, 4.

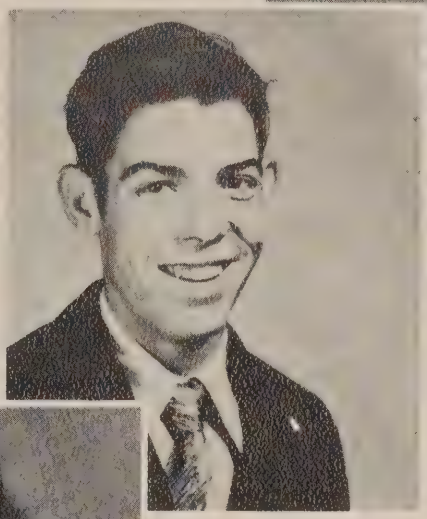


EMERY EUGENE PALMQUIST
Beta Club, 2-4; Glee Club, 3; Band, 2-3; Annual Staff, 4; Snapshot Editor Annual Staff, 4; Junior Play, 3; Science Club, 4; Senior Play, 4.

MARY ELIZABETH SHEREDA
Band, 1-4; Glee Club, 1-4; Annual Staff, 4; Art Editor Newspaper Staff, 3; Student Council, 2-3; Beta Club, 2-4; Safety Patrol, 3; Science Club, 4.

MARGARET ADAMS WILCOX
Cheerleader, 2-3; Leader of Cheerleaders, 3; Beta Club, 2-4; Treasurer Beta Club, 3; Vice-President Beta Club, 4; Library Club, 1; Glee Club, 1-2; Monogram Club, 3-4; Basketball, 2-4; Softball, 3; Assoc. Mgr. Softball, 2; Annual Staff, 4; Business Mgr. Annual, 4; Newspaper Staff, 3-4; Co-Editor Newspaper, 3; Co-Bus. Mgr. Newspaper, 4; Commercial Club, 3-4; Athletic Assoc., 1-2; Treas. Athletic Assoc., 1-2; Student Council, 1-2; Treas. Student Council, 1.

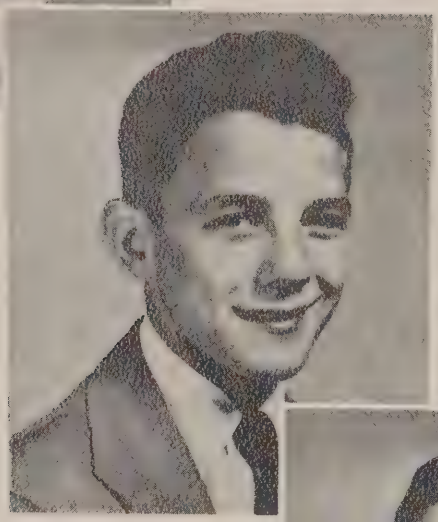
JAMES DENNIS MORRIS
Football, 1-4; Basketball, 1; Monogram Club, 2-3; Newspaper Staff, 4; Junior Play, 3; Glee Club, 3; Safety Patrol, 1-2; Baseball, 2, 4; Teen Age Club, 1.



DOLLY FERN SPAIN
Science Club, 4; Newspaper Staff, 4; Student Council, 3-4; Annual Staff, 4; Junior Play, 3; Basketball, 3-4; Safety Patrol, 3; Commercial Club, 4; Pres. Commercial Club, 4; Teen Age Club, 4; Athletic Assoc. 3.

RICHARD ALBERT REED
Glee Club, 3; Monogram Club, 3-4; Newspaper Staff, 4; Safety Patrol, 1-2; Football, 2-4; Basketball, 2-3; Baseball, 1, 3.

MARY ANN THROCKMORTON
Beta Club, 2-4; Sec. Beta Club, 4; Newspaper Staff, 3-4; Production Mgr. Newspaper Staff, 3; Co-Editor Newspaper Staff, 4; Student Council Sec., 3; Class Editor Annual Staff, 4; Commercial Club, 3-4; Pres. Commercial Club, 3; Science Club, 4; Senior Play, 4.



GAREY AMBLER GARRETT
Baseball, 1, 3-4; Football, 2-4; Captain Football, 3; Glee Club, 1; Monogram Club, 2-4; Basketball Manager, 3; Teenage Club, 4; Jr. Play, 3.

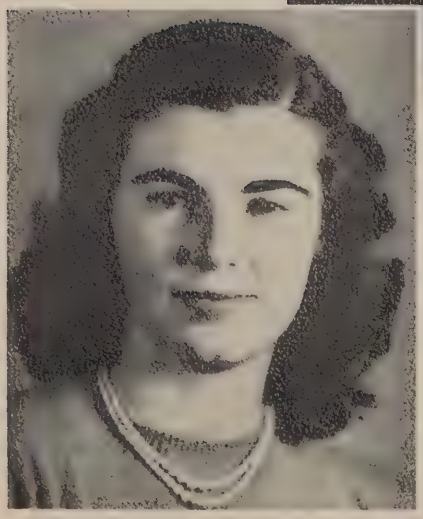
PHILLIP MANCOS, JR.
Glee Club, 3-4; Monogram Club, 3-4; Student Council, 1-2; Safety Patrol, 1-3; Captain Safety Patrol, 3; Basketball, 3-4; Bus Driver, 3-4.

GORDON AMORY CANFIELD
Glee Club, 4; Newspaper Staff, 4; Safety Patrol, 1-2, 4; Football, 1-2, 4; Basketball, 2; Baseball, 1-2, 4; Pres. Teenage Club, 4.

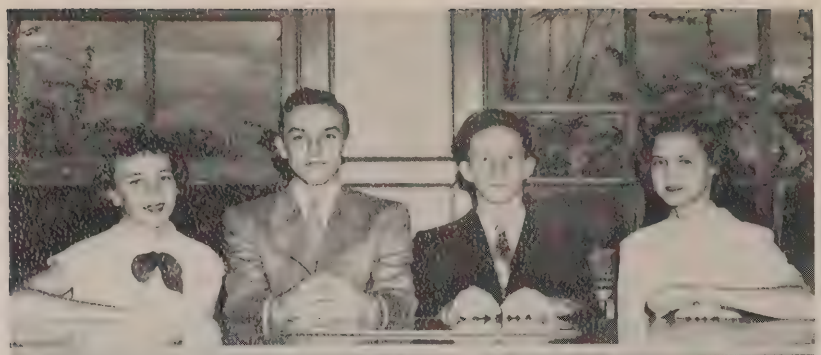
LETTIE MAE UMBER
Beta Club, 2-4; Pres. Beta Club, 3; Library Club, 1; Newspaper Staff, 3-4; Co-Editor, 3; Co-Business Mgr., 4; Glee Club, 1-2; Junior Play, 3; Basketball, 2-4; Softball, 3; Class Officer, 3-4; Pres., 3, Vice-Pres., 4; Monogram Club, 3-4; Athletic Association, 1-2; Annual, Editor-in-chief, 4; Student Council, 1; Secretary, 1; Co-Chairman, 2; Commercial Club, 3-4; Science Club, 4; Teen-Age Club, 4; Vice-Pres., 4; Safety Patrol, 4; (Bus Monitor) Senior Play, 4.

HARRY CANFIELD BEATTIE, III
Band, 2-3; Glee Club, 3-4; Football, 2-4; Baseball, 1-4; Basketball, 1-4; Monogram Club, 3-4; Safety Patrol, 3-4; 4-H Club.

WILLIAM HOLT WELLONS
Class Officer, 4; Pres. 4; Basketball, 4; Glee Club, 4; Annual Staff, 4; Boys Athletic, 4; Science Club, 4; Pres. 4; Senior Play, 4.



NETTIE HENDERSON BELVIN
Annual Staff, 4; Beta Club, 1-2; Glee Club, 1- 2, 4; Newspaper Staff, 4; Production Mgr., Newspaper, 4; F. H. A., 2; Student Council, 2, 4; Commercial Club, 3-4.



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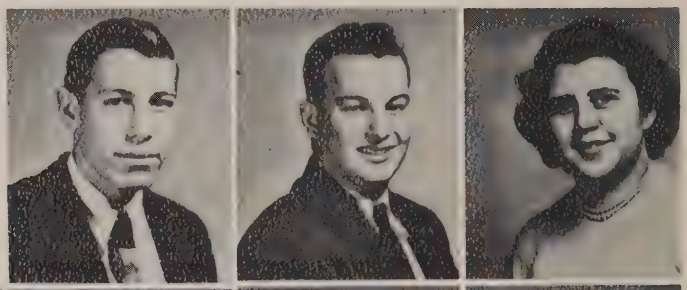

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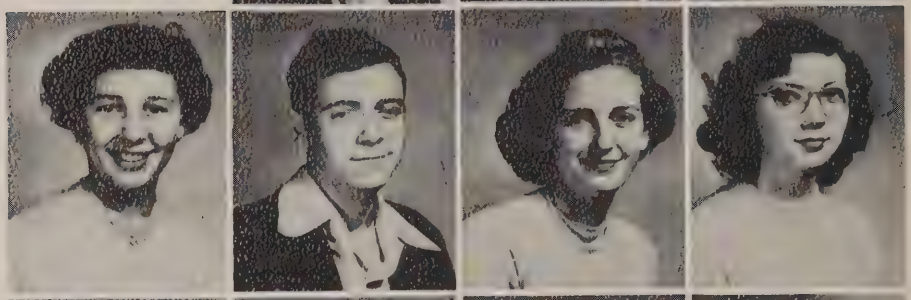
Bobby Baldridge
Nancy Baltimore



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George Bugg
Cathaline Burch
Joyce Buttner

Joyce Childrey
Charles Christiansen
Sue Clay
Waverly Davis

Jack Dorey
Paul Dvorak
Jean Gilbert
Gaynell Harding

Mary Harrison
Mary Hobson
Brent Holder
Helen Holmes

Betty Lawrence
Horace Lipford
Bobby McCabe
Eugenia Myers

Charlotte Norman
Dallas Oslin
Clifton Pierce
Clarence Schermerhorn

Joan Seelman
Mary Smith
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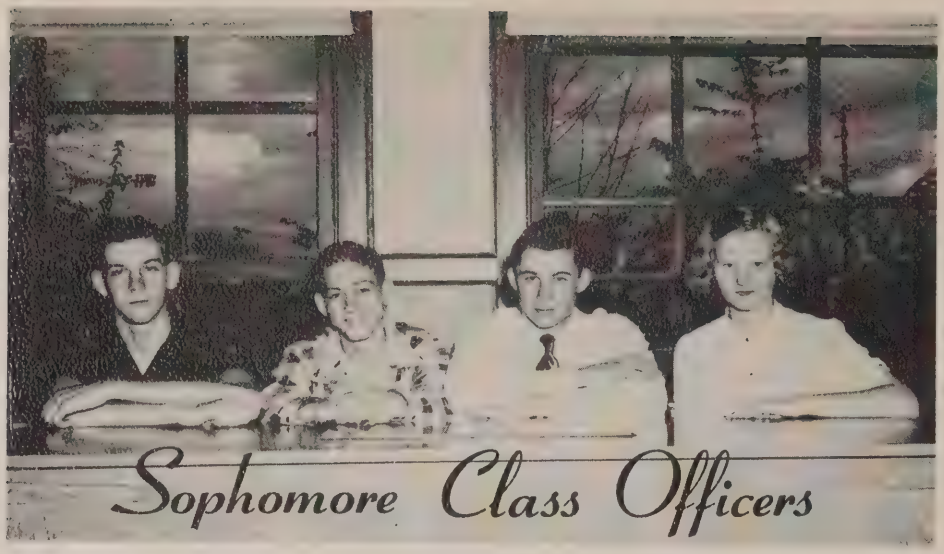

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Vice-President: Charlie Purks
Secretary: Betty Gillespie
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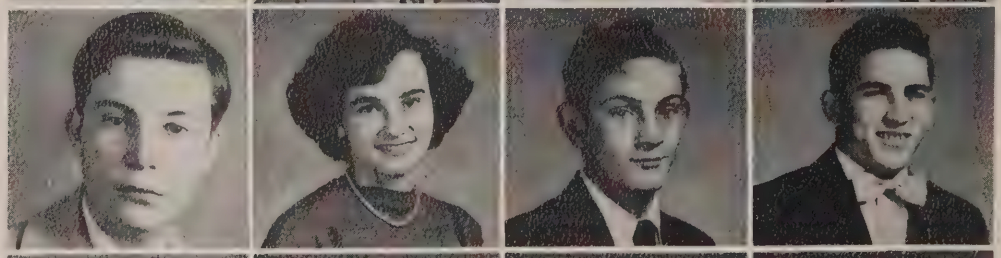

Ronald Dickerson
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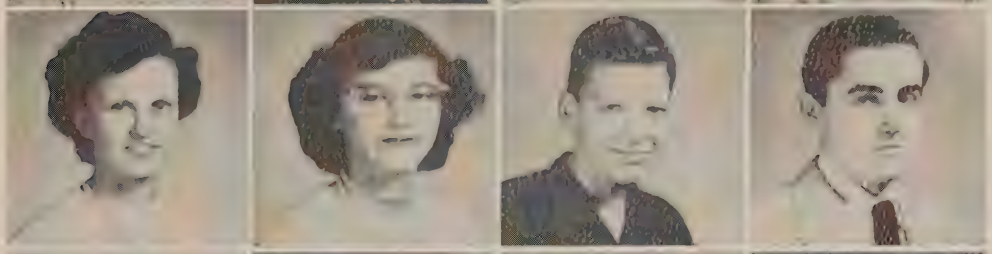

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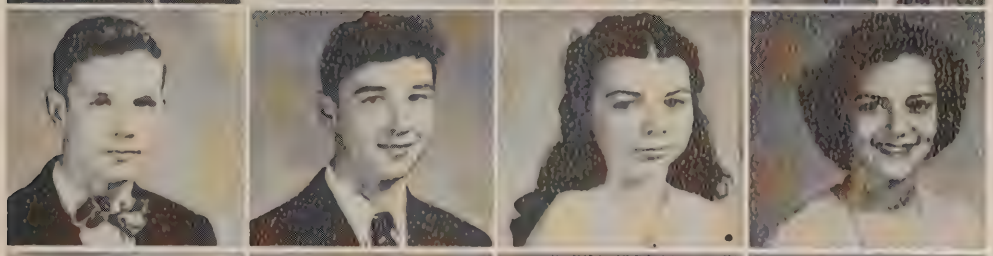

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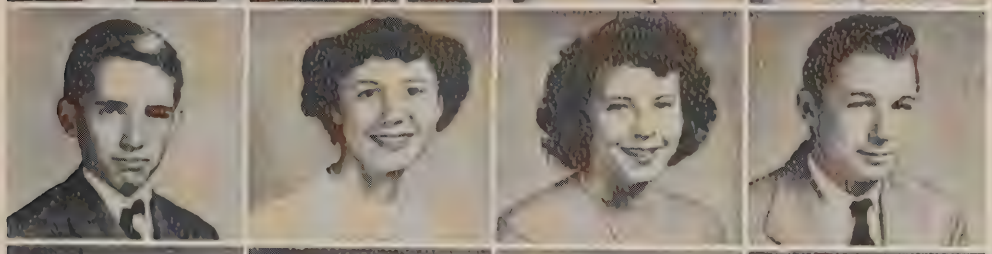

James Phillips
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Charlie Purks

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Franklin Radvany
David Shereda
Catherine Skubon

Irene Stoneman
Joyce Sweeney
Peggy Tucker
Peggy Walls

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Billy Lee Barber
Ruby Lee Bates
Lewis Bond
Betty Burch

Willis Coleman
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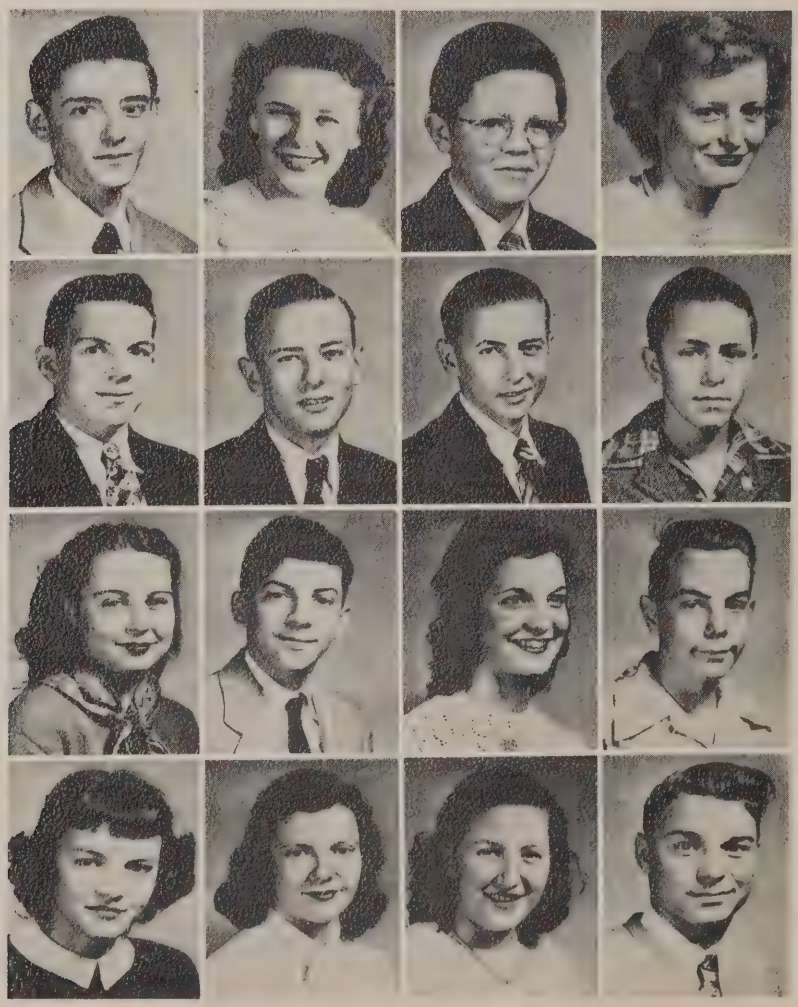

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Matilda Gregory
Thomas Hall
Earl Heath

Emmett Hester
Linwood Hicks
Gloria Huckstep
Mary Jeter
Robert Jones

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Preston Kohl
Anne Lee
Toni Martin
Richard Mathews

Robert McCue
Rosa Mills
Elaine Mistr
Herman Osterman
Florence Perrin

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Norma Young

Eighth Grade "B"

FIRST ROW, left to right: Carrington Garnett, Carol Timberlake, Bernard Seal, Billy Waddell, Madeline Robinson, Anne Ames, Ronnie Sutton, Buddy Weis, Charles Canfield. SECOND ROW: Charles Buffin, Leroy Farmer, Gerald Gordon, Alice Cabe, Mary Beasley, Betty Stricler, Betty McCue, Marie Toney, Mrs. Hockaday. THIRD ROW: Steve Radvany, Sterling Jordon, Linda Cummins, Joyce Powell, Catherine Richardson, Shirley Bugg, Annie Mae Crosby, Buddy Whitlow

FIRST ROW, left to right: Elizabeth Garnett, Ann Saunders, Lonnie Brandon, Betty Major, Rose Norman, Raymond de Kozan, Raymond Sheppard, Patsy Childress, Robert Schoenborn. SECOND ROW: Kenneth Keeton, George Skelton, James Loving, Billy Raettig, Minnie Rice, Barbara Martin, Ruby Norman, Annie Banton, Miss Motley. THIRD ROW: Buddy Wright, Betty Baltimore, Woody Hicks, Gladys Flannagan, Melvin Chenault, Geraldine Aigner, Bobby Tredway, Mary Ellen Teas, William Heath.

FIRST ROW, left to right: Paul Shereda, Harry Rapp, Norris Hodge, Ann Adicks, Betty Walls, Ellen Walls, Charles Stagg, David Dowdy, James Ferrell. SECOND ROW: Alfred E. Brown, Jean Livesay, Patricia Tillman, Jeannette Owen, Charlotte Blon, Jean Phillips, Gertrude Robinson Johns, Billy Walton, Mrs. Newton. THIRD ROW: John Harding, Virginia Hickman, Billy Lanham, Joyce Dickerson, Lewis Williams, Betty Galtin, Aubrey Lee, Nellie Baker.

Sports

Mr. Scheerer

Miss Barker

Mr. McGeorge

"It's not whether you win or lose,
but how you play the game."

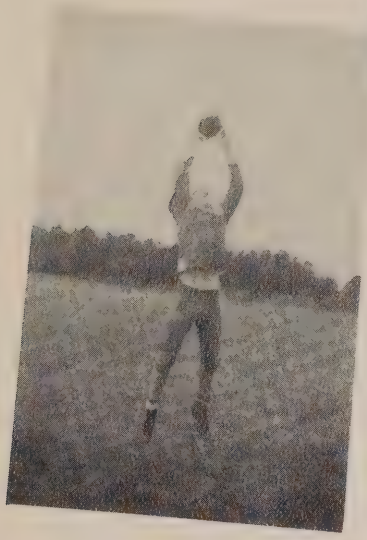
Ann Smellie
Mary Harrison
Betty Lawrence
Ann Durrette

Helen Pearman
Marianne Brandau
Joyce Valack
Ann Beattie

Miss Barker

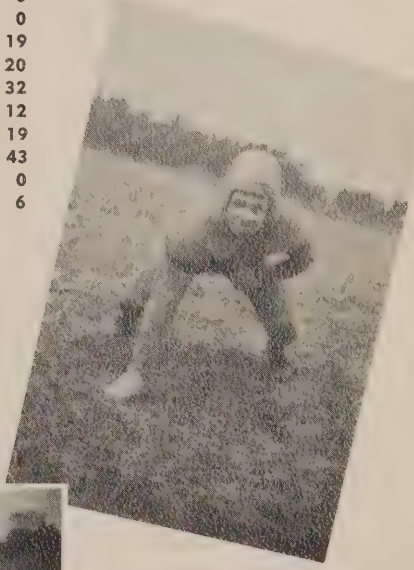
Football

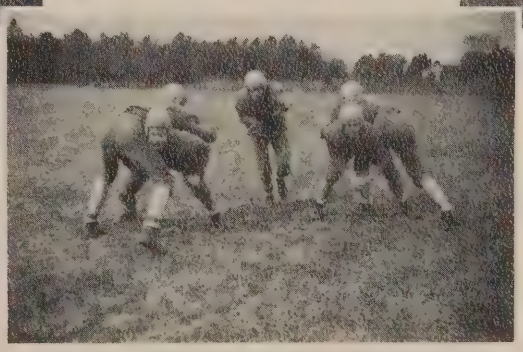
FIRST ROW, left to right: Harry Beattie, Richard Reed, Jack Dorey, Carey Garrett, Captain; Everett Wilkinson, James Morris, Gordon Canfield. SECOND ROW: Delano Sutton, Freddie Throckmorton, O'Ferrell Renick, Herman Osterman, Bobby Baldridge, Jimmie Stewart, Frank Aigner, Bobby Lipford, Howard Mills. THIRD ROW: Brent Holder, Waverly (Jeff) Davis, Franklin Radvany, Howard Smith, Russell White, Woody Hicks, Robert Throckmorton, George Crosby. FOURTH ROW: Charles Wendel, Toby Mathews, Robert McCue, Harry Bassinger, Richard Mathews, David Duke Billy Walton, Preston Kohl. FIFTH ROW: Jimmie Horton, Manager; Horace Lipford, Manager; Coach Scheerer, Coach McGeorge.



Football Schedule 1950

6	Varina	Ashland	0
6	Varina	Caroline	0
20	Varina	Beaumont	19
0	Varina	Chester	20
6	Varina	Falmouth	32
6	Varina	Mathews	12
0	Varina	Manchester	19
0	Varina	Poquoson	43
20	Varina	Courtland	0
20	Varina	Ashland	6





B A S K E

SEATED, left to right: Tina Skubon, Marianne Brandau, Mary Harrison, Joyce Valack, Ann Durrette, Lettie Umber, Ann Smellie, Mary Smith, Mary Dorey, Dolly Spain.

KNEELING, left to right: Carey Garrett, Phillip Mancos, Jimmie Stewart, Waverly Davis, Brent Holder, Everett Wilkinson. STANDING: Mr. Scheerer, Harry Beattie, Gordon Canfield, Bill Wellons, Jack Dorey, Freddie Throckmorton, Paul Dvorak.

T B A L L

STANDING, left to right: Helen Holmes, Frances Wright, Gertie Perrin, Margaret Lancaster, Virginia Lou Gratz, Irene Stoneman, Miss Barker, Nancy Baltimore, Helen Pearman, Joyce Jennette, Betty Gillespie, Barbara Martin, Essie Pyles.

KNEELING, left to right: Dickie Mathews, Franklin Radvany, Howard Mills, Howard Smith, Arthur Mathews, Robert Throckmorton, Billy Walton. STANDING: Mr. McGeorge, Harold McCabe, Robert Schoenborn, Donald Morris, Billy Saunders, Beverly Dixon, Bobby Lipford, Wilbur Mathews.

Baseball

FIRST ROW, left to right: Clifton Pierce, Harry Beattie, Brent Holder, Jimmie Stewart, Freddie Throckmorton, Bobby Lipford, Bobby Baldridge. SECOND ROW: Horace Lipford, Manager; Everett Wilkinson, Waverly Davis, Bobby McCabe, Russell White, James Phillips, Harold McCabe, Coach Scheerer.

BASEBALL SCHEDULE, 1949

8	Varina	Ashland	14
10	Varina	Manchester	16
4	Varina	Highland Springs	1
6	Varina	Ashland	8
8	Varina	Thomas Dale	2
2	Varina	Manchester	4
0	Varina	Glen Allen	16
5	Varina	Thomas Dale	6
3	Varina	Glen Allen	15
5	Varina	Highland Springs (tie)	5

Softball

FIRST ROW, left to right: Joyce Valack, Mary Harrison, Miss Barker, Coach; Margaret Adams Wilcox, Catherine Skubon. SECOND ROW: Ann Smellie, Manager; Lettie Umber, Nancy Baltimore, Virginia Groome, Betty Gillespie, Joyce Jennette, Mary Smith, Manager.

SOFTBALL SCHEDULE, 1949

11	Varina	Midlothian	7
12	Varina	Glen Allen	11
12	Varina	John Marshall	14
6	Varina	Midlothian	8
9	Varina	Charles City	6
17	Varina	John Marshall	9
10	Varina	Glen Allen	9

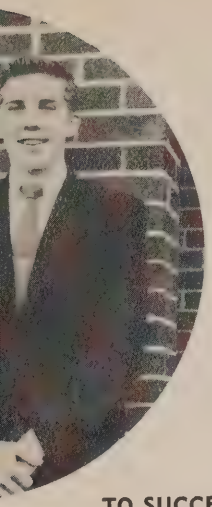
BEST LOOKING
Dolly Spain—Carey Garrett

MOST LIKELY
Nettie Belvin

Who's

MOST ATHLETIC
Jimmie Stewart—Ann Smellie

WITTIEST
Shirley Huckstep—James Morris



TO SUCCEED
Bill Wellons

Who

BEST-ALL-AROUND
Emery Palmquist—Mary Shereda

MOST POPULAR
Jimmie Stewart—Ann Smellie

MOST INTELLECTUAL
Lettie Umber—Jimmie Stewart

Miss Varinian of 1950

Bette Davis

The following were selected to participate in the beauty contest sponsored by the American Legion Post 233.

Lettie Umber
Joan Williams
Ruby Lee Bates
Betty Baltimore
Ann Beattie
Linda Cummins
Ann Smellie

Joyce Dickerson
Betty McCue
Joyce Jackson
Anne Durrette
Marianne Brandau
Alice Cabe

Ruby Norman
Betty Vaughan
Mary Dorey
Peggy Smellie
Lois Strath
Shirley Bugg

"Almost Eighteen"

The comedy, "Almost Eighteen," by Dana Thomas, was given by the Senior Class, April 21, 1950. It was directed by Mr. John Dietrich.

The cast was as follows:

William Barry_____BILL WELLONS
Grace Barry_____VIRGINIA GROOME
Beatrice Barry_____MARIANNE BRANDAU
Mabel Warren_____LETTIE UMBER
Mrs. Granville_____MARY ANN THROCKMORTON
Eddie Barry_____COLEMAN RAGSDALE
George Jones_____JIMMIE STEWART
Ann Sherman_____SHIRLEY HUCKSTEP
Tommy Granville_____RICHARD REED
Sally Davidson_____ANN DURRETTE
Mr. Merritt_____EMERY PALMQUIST
Miss Dalrymple_____MARION MYERS

The Varinian Staff

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Betty Baltimore, Homeroom Representative
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Nettie Belvin, Junior Red Cross Committee Chairman
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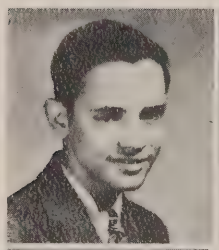

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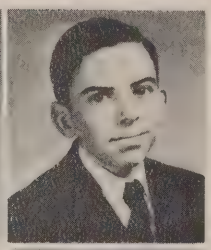
President

Ann Tillman

Joan Seelman



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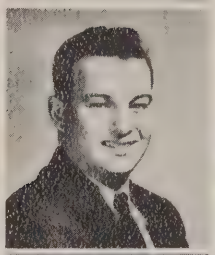
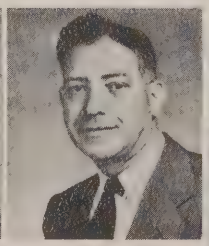
Lettie Mae Umber



Bobby Baldridge

Miss Juliette Moody
Sponsor



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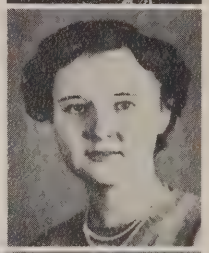

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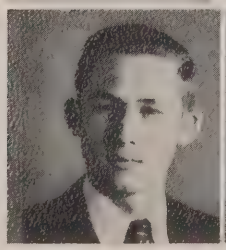

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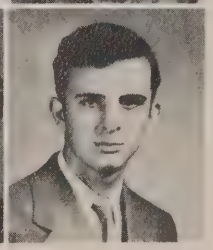

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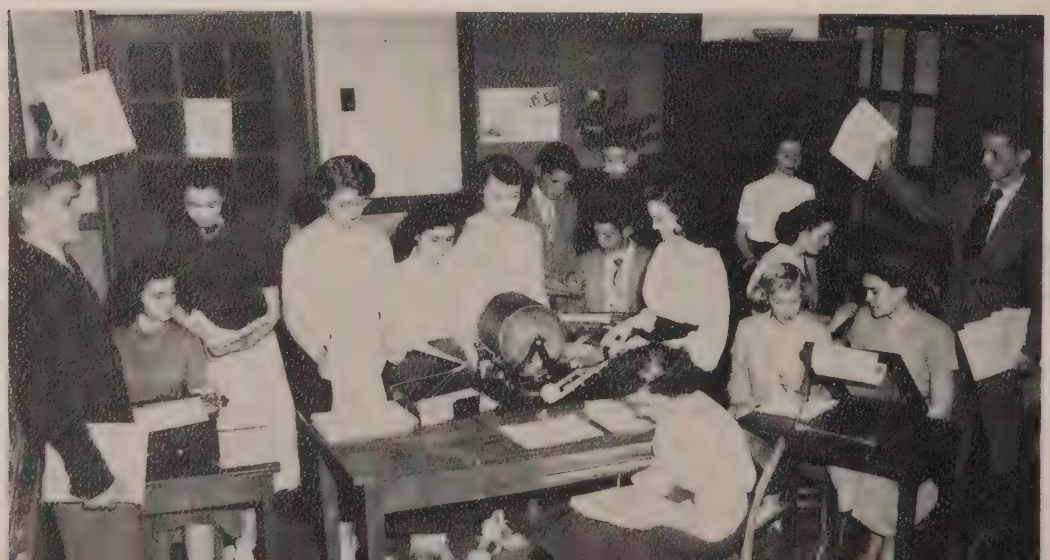

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SEATED, left to right: James Phillips, Helen Pearman, June Gregson, Bobby Baldridge, Helen Holmes, Evelyn Love, Charlotte Norman, Earl Heath, Charles Christianson, Irene Stoneman, John Fenne, Billy Walton, Jack Dorey, Stuart Belvin, Franklin Radvany, Bronson Stoneman, David Shereda. STANDING: Mary Shereda, Van Terrill, Alvin Currie, Lois Strath, Mrs. Christian.

Varina 4-H Club

FIRST ROW, left to right: Marvin Farmer, Tommy Hall, David Shereda, Tommy Durrette, Robert McCue, John Fenne, Bobby Ledford, Earl Heath, Bronson Stoneman, Stuart Belvin, Harry Beattie. SECOND ROW: Carol Timberlake, Cora Fenne, Norma Jean Phillips, Anne Ames, Charlotte Blon, Frances Wright, Essie Pyles, Gaynell Ratliffe, Shirley Jones, Pat Tillman, Annie Mae Crosby, Florence Perrin, Ann Adickes. THIRD ROW: Madeline Robinson, Betty Lou Gatlin, Mary Ann Beazley, Marie Toney, Irene Stoneman, Peggy Tucker, Shirley Bugg, Joyce Sweeney, Van Terrill, Mildred Glassco, Dorothy Drake, Patsy Childress. FOURTH ROW: Delano Sutton, Richard Mathews, Joyce Powell, Bobby McCabe, Mary Dorey, Howard Smith, Rosa Mills, Preston Kohl, Betty Birch, Franklin Radvany, Lawrence Cousins.

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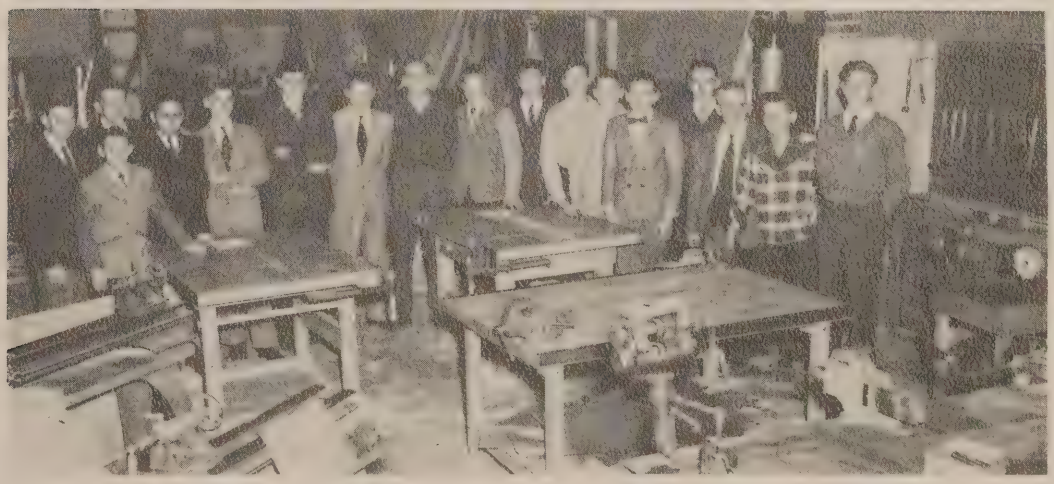

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FIRST ROW, left to right: Lettie Umber, Vice-President; Gordon Canfield, President; Mary Harrison, Secretary-Treasurer. SECOND ROW: Ann Durrette, Marianne Brandau, Nancy Baltimore, Joan Seelman. THIRD ROW: Miss Owens, Miss Garrett, Mr. McGeorge, Miss Barker, Mrs Barlow.

The Teen-Age Club is a social group that works with the Parent-Teachers Association in planning recreation and teen-age parties for the student body each month. At these parties, there are both round dances and square dances.

Junior-Senior Prom

It is a traditional custom each year for the Junior Class to give the Senior Class a dance. The theme for the Junior-Senior Prom this year was Valentine's Day. The gym was decorated with red and white streamers. Also, there were tables for those not dancing. For refreshments; punch, valentine cookies and candy were served.

During the intermission, a figure by the Seniors was led by Bill Wellons, president of the Senior Class, and Lettie Umber, vice-president.

Safety Patrol

FIRST ROW, left to right: John Fenne, Bus Monitor; Bronson Stoneman, Lieutenant; Harry Beattie Lieutenant; Bobby Baldridge, Lieutenant; Phillip Mancos, Bus Monitor; Ronald Dickerson, Bus Monitor; Paul Dvorak, Bus Monitor; Frank Aigner, Captain; Charlie Purks, Lieutenant. SECOND ROW: Lettie Umber, Bus Monitor; Mary Shereda, Bus Monitor; Earl Corbin, Bus Monitor; Harold McCabe, Bus Monitor; Howard Smith, Bus Monitor; Clarence Schermerhorn, Bus Monitor; Theron Bohr, Bus Monitor; Ann Smellie, Bus Monitor; Marianne Brandau, Bus Monitor. THIRD ROW: Grace Wilkinson, Bus Monitor; Jean Davis, Bus Monitor; Ann Lee, Bus Monitor; Cathaline Burch, Bus Monitor; Mary Smith, Bus Monitor; Van Terrill, Bus Monitor. FOURTH ROW: Barbara Seelman, Bus Monitor; Mary Hobson, Bus Monitor; Joyce Jennette, Bus Monitor; Evelyn Emerson, Bus Monitor; Ann Tillman, Bus Monitor; Catherine Skubon, Bus Monitor.

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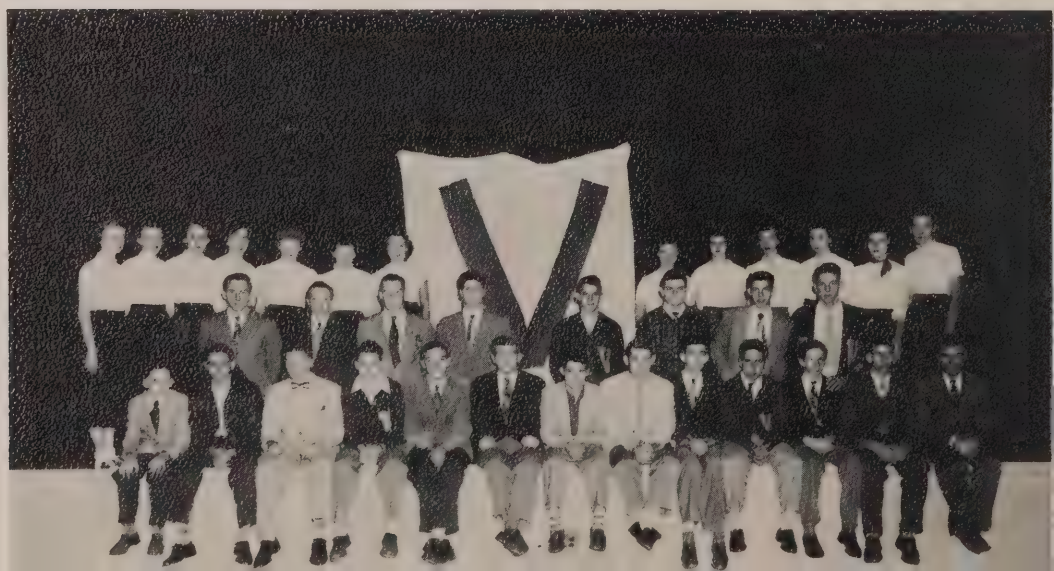

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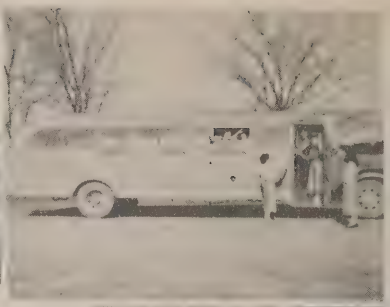

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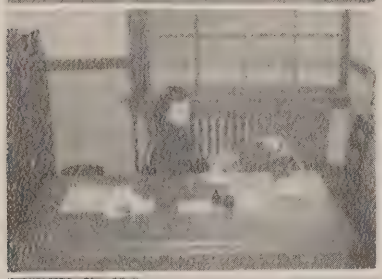

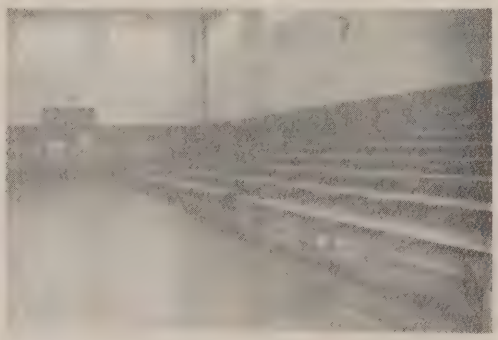

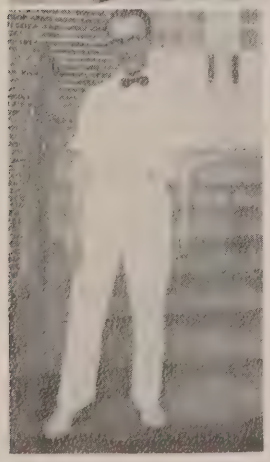

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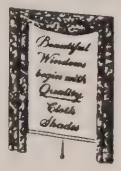

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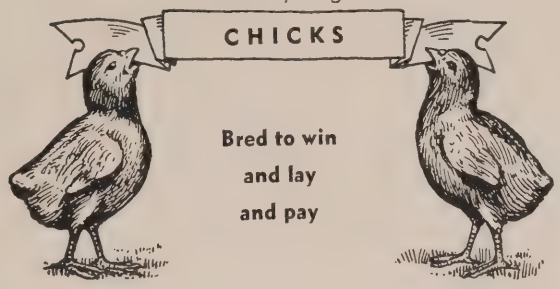

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